

Sturgeon

| Reservoir | Bank Anglers | Subs | Leg Rel | Leg Kept | Over- size | 2000 Cum Leg Kept | Boat Anglers | Subs | Leg Rel | Leg Kept | Over- size | 2000 Cum Leg Kept | Combined Leg Kept |
|-----------------|-----------------|------|------------|-------------|---------------|----------------------|-----------------|------|------------|-------------|---------------|----------------------|----------------------|
| Bonneville Pool | | | | | | 75 | | | | | | 83 | 158 |
| The Dalles Pool | | | | | | 55 | | | | | | 89 | 144 |
| John Day Pool | 8 | | | | | 5 | 6 | 2 | | 1 | | 78 | 83 |
| Total | 8 | | | | | 135 | 6 | 2 | | 1 | | 250 | 385 |

| Salmonids | Bank Anglers | Wild Kept | Wild Rel | Hat Kept | Hat Rel | 2000 Cum Leg Kept | Boat Anglers | Wild Kept | Wild Rel | Hat Kept | Hat Rel | 2000 Cum Leg Kept | |
|------------------|-----------------|--------------|-------------|-------------|------------|----------------------|-----------------|--------------|-------------|-------------|------------|----------------------|-----|
| Bonneville Pool | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Chinook | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Coho | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Steelhead | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| The Dalles Pool | | | | | | 15 | | | | | | 15 | 30 |
| Chinook | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Coho | | | | | | | | | | | | 15 | 30 |
| Steelhead | | | | | | 15 | | | | | | | |
| John Day Pool | 9 | 1 | | | 1 | 95 | 15 | 5 | 1 | 1 | | 30 | 125 |
| Chinook | | 1 | | | 1 | 42 | | | | | | 16 | 58 |
| Coho | | | | | | 2 | | | | | | 2 | 4 |
| Steelhead | | | | | | 51 | | 5 | 1 | 1 | | 12 | 63 |

| Walleye | Bank Anglers | Rel | Kept | 2000 Cum Leg Kept | Boat Anglers | Rel | Kept | 2000 Cum Leg Kept | |
|-----------------|-----------------|-----|------|----------------------|-----------------|-----|------|----------------------|-----|
| Bonneville Pool | | | | | | | | 8 | 8 |
| The Dalles Pool | | | | 3 | | | | 89 | 92 |
| John Day Pool | | | | | 6 | | | 231 | 231 |

| Bass | Bank Anglers | Rel | Kept | 2000 Cum Leg Kept | Boat Anglers | Rel | Kept | 2000 Cum Leg Kept | |
|-----------------|-----------------|-----|------|----------------------|-----------------|-----|------|----------------------|-----|
| Bonneville Pool | | | | | | | | | |
| The Dalles Pool | | | | 57 | | | | 62 | 119 |
| John Day Pool | | | | 5 | | | | 126 | 131 |

¹ Quantities include both Washington and Oregon samples.

Bonneville: Closed to sturgeon retention. No creel survey being done.

The Dalles: Closed to sturgeon retention. No creel survey being done.

John Day: Sturgeon effort was 61% of the 6-week average and CPUE was 0.21 fish per angler. Salmonid effort was 77% and CPUE was 0.33. Walleye effort was 164% with no reported catch. There was no in-sample effort for bass.

WDFW salmonid sport sampling summary for Washington Columbia River tributaries -- Dec. 4-10.

| Area | Bank | Chinook | | Coho | | Steelhead | Rel. | Other | | Boat | Chinook | | Coho | | Steelhead | Rel. | Other |
|---------------|---------|---------|-------|--------|-------|-----------|------|-------|--|---------|---------|-------|--------|-------|-----------|------|-------|
| | Anglers | Adults | Jacks | Adults | Jacks | Kept | | | | Anglers | Adults | Jacks | Adults | Jacks | Kept | | |
| Cowlitz River | 17 | CLOSED | | 0 | 0 | 5 | 0 | 0 | | 68 | CLOSED | | 0 | 0 | 25 | 0 | 0 |
| Lewis River | 6 | CLOSED | | 2 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | | 5 | CLOSED | | 0 | 0 | 1 | 2 | 0 |

WDFW salmonid sport sampling summary for Southwest Washington Lakes -- Dec. 4-10.

| Water | Bank Anglers | Catch | Boat Anglers | Catch |
|---------------|-----------------|---|-----------------|-------|
| Klinline Pond | | 34 with 13 rainbows, 6 browns, and 2 steelhead kept plus 2 rainbows released. | | |

Preliminary accountability of the 2000 return of Columbia River fall chinook and general outlook for 2001

The table below compares preliminary accountability (in thousands) of 2000 returns of the five major stocks of Columbia River fall chinook with the pre-season forecasts. Additionally, a general outlook of abundance for all Columbia River stocks in 2001 is presented for use in early discussions pertaining to 2001 fishery management.

The 2000 preliminary returns and 2001 outlooks presented here should be regarded as very preliminary as they are derived from partial or incomplete data. In-depth analysis has commenced and a more precise forecast will be available February 9.

| <i>Columbia River Fall Chinook Returns</i> | | | | | |
|--|---|---|--------------------------------------|-------------------------------------|------------------------------------|
| <u>Stock</u> | 2001 December Outlook 1/ | <u>2000 Preliminary Return 2/</u> | 2000 Preseason <u>Forecast 3/</u> | 2000 February <u>Forecast 4/</u> | 2000 December <u>Outlook</u> |
| LRH | 90 | 16.5 | 26.4 | 23.7 | 25 |
| LRW | 15 | 11.4 | 2.7 | 3.5 | 5 |
| BPH | 55 | 19.6 | 26.9 | 21.9 | 40 |
| URB | 165 | 152.5 | 208.2 | 171.1 | 155 |
| MCB | 75 | 39.7 | 61.6 | 50.6 | 55 |
| Total | 400 | 239.7 | 231.5 | 270.8 | 280 |

1/ Preliminary forecast assuming "normal" ocean harvest rates.

2/ Actual return to the Columbia River.

3/ April forecast - adjusted for adopted PFMC and expected Canadian ocean harvest rates.

4/ Forecast assuming "normal" ocean harvest rates.

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